



THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON

July 11, 2017

The Honorable Ken Buck
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Buck:

Thank you for your June 23, 2017, co-signed letter to the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) regarding your recommendation to officially rename the Aurora Replacement VA Facility. The VA Eastern Colorado Health Care System (ECHCS) and I are grateful for your continued support of this project.

VA ECHCS concurs with your recommendation and has already begun the process to make the official name of the replacement facility, "Rocky Mountain Regional VA Medical Center." This project would not be nearing completion if it were not for your office, your colleagues in the House and Senate, and the unwavering support that VA ECHCS has received from the United Veterans Committee of Colorado. I look forward to Veterans throughout VA ECHCS receiving world-class care in their new state-of-the-art facility.

Should you have further questions, please have a member of your staff contact Ms. Nikki Brown, Congressional Relations Officer, at (202) 224-7095 or by email at Nikki.Brown9@va.gov. The cosigners of your letter will receive separate responses.

Thank you for your continued support of our mission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David J. Shulkin, M.D." The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

David J. Shulkin, M.D.